

## THANKS IN CHURCHES

Union Meeting to be Held on Thursday Next.

### SUBJECTS TO-DAY'S SERMONS

Big Temperance Meeting to be Held at Pine Street Baptist Church.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held next Sunday in Epiphany Church, Barton Heights. Contributions of fruit, flowers and produce have been solicited for the decoration of the church. These will be given afterwards to the Home for the Incumbles. A special musical program has been arranged and will be rendered by a chorus of thirty voices, assisted by Thilow's Orchestra.

At Grove Avenue this morning Dr. Hannon will preach on "The True Measurement of Life and Its Effects on Conduct and Character." His subject at night will be "The Class of Sinners Most Hurtful to Society."

Domini will preach in the morning at the First Baptist Church. At night the pulpit will be filled by the Rev. George Green.

Revival services will begin to-day at the Second Baptist Church. The pastor will be assisted by Mr. R. D. Garland, field secretary of the State Mission Board. Services will be held during the week at 12 M. and at 8 P. M.

At Leigh Street the Rev. M. Ashby Jones will preach in the morning on "Christian Sociology," and at night on "Divine Egotism."

At Calvary Dr. Bruner will preach in the morning on "Stones Rolled Away" and at night on "The Tragedy of the Mad King." Revival services will continue next week, with the Rev. C. C. Coleman, of Washington.

Dr. E. L. Bell will preach in the morning at Grace Street on "The Causes and Cure of Doubt." The pulpit will be filled at night by Dr. E. F. Bomer.

A temperance mass meeting will be held in the afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Pine Street Baptist Church. Dr. John Hannon will preach on "Influence."

Dr. A. L. Phillips will preach at night at Centenary Methodist Church. At the morning service Dr. W. L. Lear will preach his farewell sermon.

At Broad Street the Rev. George H. Spooner will preach in the morning on "The Power of the Old Gospel," and at night on "Eternal Truth."

At Clay Street the Rev. J. T. Whitley will preach in the morning; the pulpit will be filled at night by the Rev. L. B. Betty.

Dr. John Hannon will preach morning and night at Trinity.

The pulpit of Union Station will be filled by the Rev. R. M. Maxey.

The thirtieth anniversary of the Sunday school of St. James Methodist Church will be celebrated in the morning.

The Rev. Dr. Henry B. Johnson, the pastor of Laurel Street Methodist Church, will occupy his pulpit at both services. In the morning he will speak on the recent conference in Charlottesville. His subject will be "The Methodist Itinerary," and at night he will discuss "Are the Demands of Religion Unreasonable?"

Dr. Jere Witherspoon will preach in the morning at the First Presbyterian Church; at night the pulpit will be filled by Dr. T. R. English.

Dr. Cecil will preach morning and night at the Second Church.

Dr. Eggleston will preach in the morning at the Third Church on "God's Gift to Us and Ours to Him," and at night on "The One and Only Way to Heaven."

The usual services will be held at Grace Street by Dr. Witherspoon, and at the Church of the Covenant by the Rev. J. Calvin Stewart, D. D.

The Rev. B. H. Melton will preach morning and night at Marshall Street.

At West End the Rev. Henry Pearce Atkins will preach in the morning on "The Messianic Prophecy," and at night on "Divine and Lazarus."

At Seventh Street Professor Forrest, of the University of Virginia, will preach in the morning on "Self-Forgetful Service," and at night on "The Gospel for Men."

A service for men will be held to-night at St. Paul's Episcopal Church. The midday also will be reserved for them. The subject for the occasion will be "Strong Christians."

**VIOLATED MANN LAW.**

Hotel Man Married in a Buggy in the Country Road.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WOODSTOCK, VA., Nov. 21.—During the past week two old citizens of Shenandoah county have died. The first was Mr. Henry Smoot, of Pugh's Run, aged eighty years, and the second Mr. Aaron March, of St. Luke, aged eighty-one. Both were prominent farmers.

Mr. J. W. Blinn, an aged citizen of Winchester, who was fined \$500 before a justice of the peace at Strasburg for violation of the Mann liquor law, was tried upon appeal in the county court and fined \$125 and \$33 costs.

Mr. Mike Geary, a well known hotel man of Woodstock, has announced his marriage to Miss Grace Schmucker, daughter of Mr. M. P. Schmucker, which took place on Wednesday, November 4th. The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. H. Rhodes.

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## SONS OF VIRGINIA AND CAROLINA TO STRUGGLE

(Continued from First Page.)

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Carolina is said to be heavier than Virginia, but opinions vary on this point. Those who have seen both teams generally agree that Virginia has a slight advantage in weight, but so it had last year. No absolutely authentic and official statement can be had as to the weights of either team, all statements on the subject being taken with considerable allowance. Before the Virginia-V. P. I. game, Virginia's weight was said to be about 190, while Carolina's was said to be about 180. Which statement is correct one may judge for himself. The Carolina team is reported to average for the entire eleven about 187 pounds, but this is believed to be excessive by those who have seen the eleven play. Carolina has lost Farlow, last year's guard, and Graves who played full back, but Heister and Newton are both heavier than Graves. Fisher at end has replaced Condon.

Here is the way the two elevens are expected to line up next Thursday:

**VIRGINIA POSITIONS CAROLINA**  
Zinn.....left end.....Fisher  
Johnson.....left tackle.....Donnelly  
Elmer.....left guard.....Albright  
Conner.....center.....Stuart  
Spates.....right guard (captain) Jones  
Counell.....right tackle.....Foust  
Hall.....right end.....Cox  
Pollard.....quarter back.....Engle  
Heald.....left half.....Newton  
Wall.....right half.....Cocke  
Watkins.....full back.....Heister

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## TONE MORE CONFIDENT

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### BIG SHRINKAGE OF VALUES

Stocks Now Selling at Prices Which Make Them Very Profitable Investments.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 21.—Despondency is gradually disappearing in Wall Street, and a more confident tone is taking its place. This is because heavy forced liquidation is over, and unfavorable developments have been so thoroughly discounted that bear operations are becoming less profitable and increasingly dangerous as evidences multiply that values are down as low, if not lower, than intrinsic conditions warrant.

Some of the very best securities are now selling on a five to five and one-half per cent. basis, and their market value has shrunk fully one-third or more within a few short months, while their dividend capacity, be it noted, remains unimpaired. Even if dividends on the best stocks were reduced from six to five or from five to four per cent, which is not at all likely, the declines would still be greater than security reductions could justify, simply because recent prices represent emergency or panic sales. Undoubtedly the strong have been protecting themselves at the expense of the weak; hence the late decline has been not only abnormally rapid, but abnormally steep, and it naturally follows that as soon as the crisis is passed a recovery to the normal will be in order.

**WILL LOOK CHEAP.**

One of the most favorable influences towards recovery will be the forthcoming improved financial situation; then good stocks will look very cheap at present prices. Before long funds sent to the interior will begin to return, and the increasing supplies of gold and silver and security bills are almost certain to continue bringing gold from Europe.

What are some of the principal facts in the business world? Our October exports amounted to \$199,000,000 or \$15,000,000 more than in the same month a year ago. Our imports were \$2,000,000, a decrease of about \$5,000,000; while the excess of exports for the month was \$78,000,000, or over \$21,000,000 greater than a year ago. This is certainly a satisfactory showing, and should continue under present conditions. Gross earnings of 71 railroads from January 1st to October 31st, aggregated \$88,000,000, an increase of \$6,000,000, or about eleven per cent. over last year. In view of good crops and trade activity in the West, it is practically certain there will be no shrinkage of consequence in earnings during the current fiscal year, although a reaction in the steel, building and other trades must have some adverse influence upon transportation interests. Railroads, however, are in a position to effect such important economies, partly as a result of recent improvements, that no impairment of dividends is in prospect.

**IRON AND STEEL.**

As for the iron and steel trade, lower prices for products are still predicted; but this will result in increased orders, and it now seems as if these conditions had been fully reflected in present prices of steel securities. Steel stocks, and a great many other securities also, have been steadily passing from weak into stronger hands, where they will find a safe lodging place, at least until better times come. The market, therefore, possesses a stronger underfoot, which bankers are quite likely to encourage in order to facilitate pending deals and to assist the floating of new Pennsylvania, Lake Shore and other issues.

**King George People Believe in Pure Elections.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

COMON, VA., Nov. 21.—The Berkshire pure elections law has been a subject of very general discussion in this section. A canvass of the sentiment since the general election shows that the law has a great many staunch advocates here, and has grown in public favor.

There is certainly a very strong opposition to a repeal of the law.

No one here seems to consider this new election law perfect in every detail; but it is regarded as a long and important step towards clean campaign and honest elections.

The area of wheat sowed in King George this fall is the smallest in many years. In some parts of the county, the crops are so small, so few and so far between, that there will hardly be sufficient grain in such neighborhoods next summer to justify the sowing and sifting of steam threshing machines.

Owing to the excessive rains in September and October, but few winter oats could be seeded. A majority of the farmers in this section contemplate seeding spring oats in February and March. If the weather conditions will permit.

A committee of local men at "Waverly," the home of Mrs. N. B. Doherty, near here, some days ago distributed among a number of poor families and individuals, the charity fund raised by a lawn party and entertainment last summer. A good many destitute, dependent persons here are made comfortable every winter by a judicious distribution of money raised during the summer months by the Christian people of the community.

Mr. J. T. Minor, Jr., of this place, King George's new treasurer-elect, has just returned from Baltimore, whither he went on Tuesday to carry a load of fatted beef on the market. The calf belonged to Mr. Minor and his brother, Dr. Mike Minor, and were driven twenty miles to Frederickburg, and thence shipped by rail.

Mr. Rice Hoove, a prominent young gentleman of King George Courthouse neighborhood, has purchased of Mr. D. R. Grymes the Alto graft mill property in this county.

**Governor Coming.**

Governor and Mrs. A. J. Montague are expected to arrive from Kansas City to-night. His Excellency will likely be in his office on to-morrow.

**City Committee.**

The City Democratic Committee will meet at Murphy's Hotel to-morrow night to discuss the matter of the payment of poll taxes and such other business as may properly come before the body.

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## MARKETS.

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2,535,500 pounds; decrease for 1908, 2,125,500 pounds.

Receipts larger, though much short of last season at this time, but little good tobacco being offered. Prices rather lower than last season.

The quotations are as follows:

Printed.....1.50 3/4 3.00  
Dark leaf, common.....2.50 3/4 3.00  
Dark leaf, medium.....3.50 3/4 4.00  
Dark leaf, good.....4.00 3/4 4.50  
Dark leaf, common.....4.00 3/4 4.50  
Dark leaf, medium.....5.00 3/4 5.50  
Dark leaf, good.....5.00 3/4 5.50  
Dark leaf, fine.....5.00 3/4 5.50  
Dark wrappers.....5.00 3/4 5.50

**DANVILLE TOBACCO MARKET.**

Danville, Va., Nov. 21, 1908.

Following is the weekly review of the Danville market by Merrill Brothers:

Our receipts this week have been fairly large, but not full of the week previous. Very little other than old belt tobacco has been sold this week. Very little Southern or Eastern bright tobacco has been offered this week, and of this latter much has been rejected, as the prices do not appear satisfactory to the owners.

There has been, perhaps, some little improvement in the quality of the old belt tobacco, and the wrappers have been showing up. The condition of the tobacco has been somewhat better this week, but still there is quite a large proportion of tobacco selling that is in bad condition, and in many cases it is in such a state that it is particularly noticeable in low grades.

In view of the fact that tobacco has been fairly active this week, and shipments have been quite large.

**MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.**

**PEANUT MARKET.**

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 21.—PEANUTS—Farmers' market, fancy, 34¢; strictly prime, 32¢; prime, 30¢; common, 28¢. Southern, No. 1 crop coming in freely.

**PETERSBURG, VA., Nov. 21.—PEANUTS**—Southern, No. 1 crop, 30¢; No. 2, 28¢; No. 3, 26¢; No. 4, 24¢; No. 5, 22¢; No. 6, 20¢; No. 7, 18¢; No. 8, 16¢; No. 9, 14¢; No. 10, 12¢; No. 11, 10¢; No. 12, 8¢; No. 13, 6¢; No. 14, 4¢; No. 15, 2¢.

**NAVY STORES.**

WILMINGTON, N. C., Nov. 21.—SPIRITS—TURPENTINE—Steady; No. 1, 12¢; No. 2, 10¢; No. 3, 8¢; No. 4, 6¢; No. 5, 4¢; No. 6, 2¢; No. 7, 1¢; No. 8, 1/2¢; No. 9, 1/4¢; No. 10, 1/8¢; No. 11, 1/16¢; No. 12, 1/32¢; No. 13, 1/64¢; No. 14, 1/128¢; No. 15, 1/256¢; No. 16, 1/512¢; No. 17, 1/1024¢; No. 18, 1/2048¢; No. 19, 1/4096¢; No. 20, 1/8192¢; No. 21, 1/16384¢; No. 22, 1/32768¢; No. 23, 1/65536¢; No. 24, 1/131072¢; No. 25, 1/262144¢; No. 26, 1/524288¢; No. 27, 1/1048576¢; No. 28, 1/2097152¢; No. 29, 1/4194304¢; No. 30, 1/8388608¢; No. 31, 1/16777216¢; No. 32, 1/33554432¢; No. 33, 1/67108864¢; No. 34, 1/134217728¢; No. 35, 1/268435456¢; No. 36, 1/536870912¢; No. 37, 1/1073741824¢; No. 38, 1/2147483648¢; No. 39, 1/4294967296¢; No. 40, 1/8589934592¢; No. 41, 1/17179869184¢; No. 42, 1/34359738368¢; No. 43, 1/68719476736¢; No. 44, 1/137438953472¢; No. 45, 1/274877906944¢; No. 46, 1/549755813888¢; No. 47, 1/1099511627776¢; No. 48, 1/2199023255552¢; No. 49, 1/4398046511104¢; No. 50, 1/8796093022208¢; No. 51, 1/17592186044416¢; No. 52, 1/35184372088832¢; No. 53, 1/70368744177664¢; No. 54, 1/140737488355328¢; No. 55, 1/281474976710656¢; No. 56, 1/562949953421312¢; No. 57, 1/1125899906842624¢; No. 58, 1/2251799813685248¢; No. 59, 1/4503599627370496¢; No. 60, 1/9007199254740992¢; No. 61, 1/18014398509481984¢; No. 62, 1/36028797018963968¢; No. 63, 1/72057594037927936¢; No. 64, 1/144115188075855872¢; No. 65, 1/288230376151711744¢; No. 66, 1/576460752303423488¢; No. 67, 1/1152921504606846976¢; No. 68, 1/2305843009213693952¢; No. 69, 1/4611686018427387904¢; No. 70, 1/9223372036854775808¢; No. 71, 1/18446744073709551616¢; No. 72, 1/36893488147419103232¢; No. 73, 1/73786976294838206464¢; No. 74, 1/147573952589676412928¢; No. 75, 1/295147905179352825856¢; No. 76, 1/590295810358705651712¢; No. 77, 1/1180591620717411303424¢; No. 78, 1/2361183241434822606848¢; No. 79, 1/4722366482869645213696¢; No. 80, 1/9444732965739290427392¢; No. 81, 1/18889465931478580854784¢; No. 82, 1/37778931862957161709568¢; No. 83, 1/75557863725914323419136¢; No. 84, 1/151115727451828646838272¢; No. 85, 1/302231454903657293676544¢; No. 86, 1/604462909807314587353088¢; No. 87, 1/1208925819614629174706176¢; No. 88, 1/2417851639229258349412352¢; No. 89, 1/4835703278458516698824704¢; No. 90, 1/9671406556917033397649408¢; No. 91, 1/19342813113834066795298816¢; No. 92, 1/38685626227668133590597632¢; No. 93, 1/77371252455336267181195264¢; No. 94, 1/154742504910672534362390528¢; No. 95, 1/309485009821345068724781056¢; No. 96, 1/618970019642690137449562112¢; No. 97, 1/1237940039285380274899124224¢; No. 98, 1/2475880078570760549798248448¢; No. 99, 1/4951760157141521099596496896¢; No. 100, 1/9903520314283042199192993792¢; No. 101, 1/19807040628566084398385987584¢; No. 102, 1/39614081257132168796771975168¢; No. 103, 1/79228162514264337593543950336¢; No. 104, 1/158456325028528675187087900672¢; No. 105, 1/316912650057057350374175801344¢; No. 106, 1/633825300114114700748351602688¢; No. 107, 1/1267650600228229401496703205376¢; No. 108, 1/2535301200456458802993406410752¢; No. 109, 1/5070602400912917605986812821504¢; No. 110, 1/10141204801825835211973625643008¢; No. 111, 1/20282409603651670423947251286016¢; No. 112, 1/405